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In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF BIG RIVERS)	
ELECTRIC CORPORATION, INC.)	Case No. 2012-00535
FOR AN ADJUSTMENT OF RATES)	

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S COMMENTS IN SUPPORT OF KIUC'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO CONDUCT ADDITIONAL DISCOVERY

Comes now the intervenor, the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, by and through his Office of Rate Intervention, and hereby tenders his comments in support of the motion of Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers ("KIUC") to conduct additional discovery. The Attorney General believes that the now publicly-announced agreement reached between Century, Big Rivers and Kenergy to allow Century to procure power from the wholesale market is highly relevant to the current proceedings. Moreover, the Attorney General does not believe that such questions would interfere with the current procedural schedule.

Although the Attorney General himself does not have any additional questions to pose to Big Rivers through further discovery, he does reserve the right to pose such questions during cross-examination at the evidentiary hearing in this matter.

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